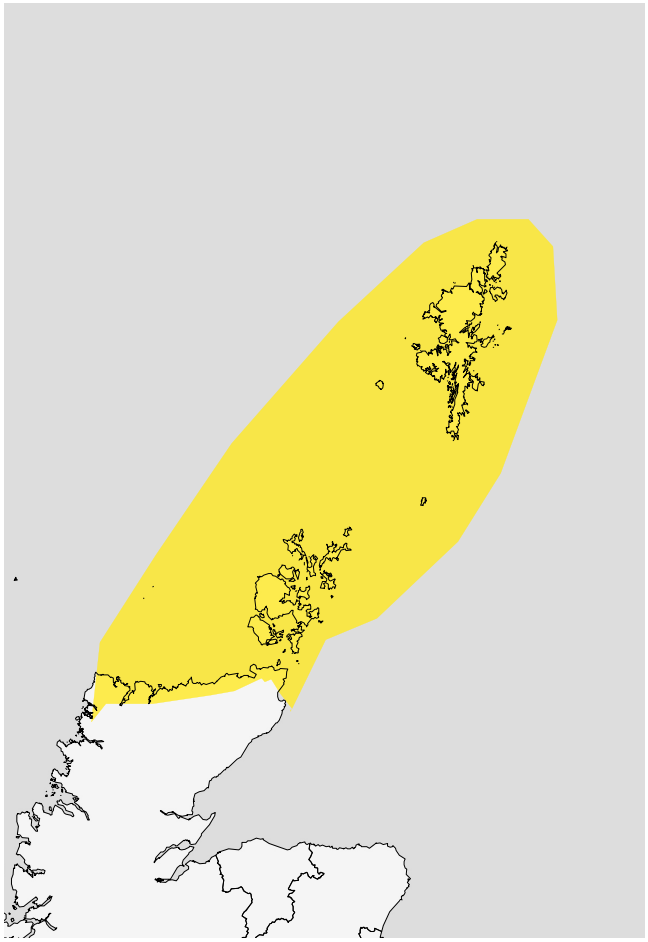
Yellow warning
Wind & Snow

Between
16:00 Sun 4 Apr 2021 and
23:59 Mon 5 Apr 2021



Frequent snow and hail showers, accompanied by a very strong northerly wind may lead to some disruption from later Sunday.

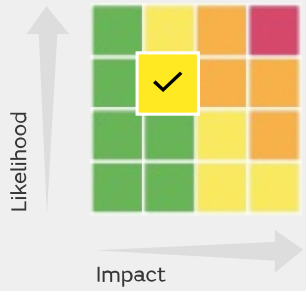
What to expect

- Some delays to public transport are likely, including bus services and particularly ferry crossings.
- It's likely that some coastal routes, sea fronts and coastal communities will be affected by spray and large waves.

Further details

Hail and snow showers will arrive from the north on Sunday afternoon, spreading steadily southwards during the early evening. Whilst by day, accumulating snow is likely to be confined to above 200 metres, snow will still fall to sea level. Overnight, accumulations of 1-3 cm of snow are likely.

Gales are expected to accompany the snow showers, perhaps leading to temporary blizzard conditions. Gusts of 50-60 mph are expected across the warning area, and perhaps in excess of 70 mph for a short time during Monday morning across the Northern Isles.



Medium likelihood of low impacts

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Further Details (continued)

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